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\$2 Million Available to Fund National Community Antidrug Coalition Institute

The Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) is announcing the availability of funds for grants to develop and implement a National Community Antidrug Coalition Institute.

Approximately \$2 million in funding will be available to fund one grant in FY 2002. Estimated subsequent annual awards are anticipated to be \$2 million in FY 2003; \$1 million in FY 2004; \$1 million in FY 2005; \$750,000 in FY 2006 and \$750,000 in FY 2007. Awards may be requested for up to six years. SAMHSA's Center for Substance Abuse Prevention (CSAP) will administer the grant.

WHO CAN APPLY: Any national nonprofit organization that represents, provides technical assistance and training to, and has special expertise and broad, national-level experience in community antidrug coalitions under the Drug-Free Communities Support Program.

HOW TO APPLY: This program announcement is No. SP 02-006. Guidance for Applicants (GFA No. SP 02-006) is available from SAMHSA's web site at www.samhsa.gov or by phone from SAMHSA's national clearinghouse at 1-800-729-6686.

APPLICATION DUE DATE: July 10, 2002.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Applicants with questions on program issues should contact Boris Aponte, Ph.D., at 301-443-2290 or baponte@samhsa.gov. Queries on grants management issues should be directed to Steve Hudak at 301-443-9666 or shudak@samhsa.gov.

SAMHSA, a public health agency within the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, is the lead federal agency for improving the quality and availability of substance abuse prevention, addiction treatment and mental health services in the United States. Information on SAMHSA's programs is available on the Internet at www.samhsa.gov. News media requests should be directed to Media Services at 1-800-487-4890.

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